



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Application of:

Michael J. Payne, et al.

Application No.: 09/965,052

Filed: September 25, 2001

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 (a)

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a two-month extension of time to file a Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed October 30, 2001. The extended period expires on February 30, 2002.

A check in the amount of \$400.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for a two-month extension of time. If any additional fee is required, please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2666. **A duplicate of this Petition is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.**

Respectfully submitted,

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